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Sir :

In response to the Office Action of July 14, 2008, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on October 14, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Office Action in view of the herein-contained amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.